

FIFTY MADE GOOD

HIGH AVERAGES PRE- VAIL IN STATE BAR EXAMINATION

BUT ONE FAILED TO MEET RIGID QUIZ

Successful Ones Hold Meet- ing and Effect Perma- nent Organization

Of the fifty-one applicants who took the examination conducted by the bar examining commission of the state supreme court here this week fifty were successful in passing the same and were admitted to the members of the bar. The successful ones were: Walter D. Kline, of McAlester, who was third with 1458; J. Robert Ray, of Bartlesville, and Harvey L. Mohr, of Prague, tied for fourth with 1437 each.

Those who passed and were given certificates are as follows: M. L. Hamilton, Altus; Guy P. Horton, Altus; J. L. Spangie, Poteau; James A. Hall, Altus; Edward F. Clark, Woodward; C. B. Cochran, Durant; Dio Richardson, Lawton; Ed Hirsch, Muskogee; John B. Perkins, Jr., Shawnee; S. Grim, Grand; E. B. Chappell, Enid; Harry L. Molton, Prague; W. C. Beasley, Poteau; J. Robert Ray, Bartlesville; C. B. Duggitt, Avarado; E. M. Williams, Okmulgee; E. H. Kuykendall, Muskogee; Mike L. Mitchell, Cheyenne; C. Cortney Hill, Shattuck; J. H. Ready, Oklahoma City; A. C. Sowell, Crowder; George Tyler, Muskogee; T. H. Davidson, Stigler; James A. Diano, McAlester; George W. Partridge, Cherokee; Patrick M. Matley, Tulsa; James J. Murphy, Kiefer; J. Read Moore, McAlester; W. A. Corley, Muskogee; E. G. Wilson, Oklahoma City; Thomas E. Toney, Holdenville; Lee P. Wilson, Oklahoma City; Walter D. Kline, McAlester; George A. Johns, Okmulgee; H. P. Wood, Sapulpa; J. H. Smith, Sapulpa; R. J. Roberts, McAlester; L. D. Polington, Hominy; Frank E. Lee, Okmulgee; A. T. Hanson, Nowata; H. D. Mosher, Muskogee; George K. Sutherland, Hominy; W. P. Jones, Hugo; A. M. Wiers, Jr., Hugo; O. D. Sumate, Chickasaw; Karl W. Grant, Sapulpa; Harry Priest, Oklahoma City; A. J. Stevens, Okmulgee.

The class held a meeting last evening and organized by electing Fred W. Green, of Guthrie, as chairman and John B. Perkins, of Shawnee, as secretary. The following resolution was passed:

Class of February Term of the Supreme Court, 1908.

Preamble:—In full realization of the unselfish sacrifice made by the

It Is Coming--

Education along pure food lines is fast opening the eyes of the people to the fact that coffee contains a drug—caffeine—that affects the heart, nervous system, and digestion.

The natural "hot" food drink for breakfast is

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made of clean, hard wheat, with no drug of any kind.

"There's a Reason."

eminent members constituting the examining board of the supreme court of the state of Oklahoma, for admission to the bar, and in recognition of their high degree of fairness in conducting this the first examination held in this state and as a testimony of our appreciation.

Be It Resolved: That it is in the sense of the members of this class that we owe and therefore, hereby tender our thanks to the committee.

Second: That as evidence of our unanimous sentiment the members hereby affix their signatures.

Third: That the class elect the following members of the committee:

Fourth: That these resolutions be adopted and a copy thereof be given to the members of the committee and forwarded to the press for publication.

C. E. DAGGETT, Chairman.

ED. HURSH,

J. ROBERT RAY,

GEO. A. JOHNS, Committee.

LITERARY NOTES

Mr. Clayton Hamilton, who is the author of Materials and Methods in Fiction, shortly to appear from The Baker Taylor Co., is well known as a contributor to the leading magazines and an associate editor of the Forum, and a tutor in English at Columbia University, 1901-12, established himself as a recognized authority for the general reader, and contains an exceedingly interesting introduction by Brunner Matthews.

Simultaneous with the announcement of the successful dramatic production by Arnold Daly of Owen Kildare's My Mamie Rose, comes the information that The Baker & Taylor Co., Mr. Kildare's publisher, are about to print another edition of this popular work. This makes the tenth edition.

Charles H. Caffin, whose Child's Guide to Pictures is being awaited with much interest, is best known as the author of the very popular How to Study Pictures. Mr. Caffin is an Englishman, a graduate of Oxford, but has been so long identified with American Art criticism that this fact is forgotten. The Baker Taylor Co. will issue this new book.

The publishers of A History of Architecture, by Sir Russell Sturgis, announce that work is rapidly progressing on volume 1, of this book, and it is the hope of The Baker Taylor Co. that the subscribers will receive this volume in the course of the spring.

It opens with a treatment of the architecture of India, China, Japan, and other Oriental nations, and includes also that Mohammedan architecture which arose out of the Byzantine styles, and finally the great Gothic school of Central and Northern Europe. This brings the history to about 1300 A. D.

Among the new printings announced by The Baker & Taylor Co. are the fourth edition of My Mamie Rose, the third edition of Hazel of Heatherland, by Mabel Karna Grand, and the fourth edition of The Appreciation of Pictures, by Russell Sturgis.

The New Idea in Building

A book designed at once to embody the latest idea in building values, and to be at once practical as well as attractive, is entitled Building a House, by H. W. Desmond and E. W. Fraunce, of The Architectural Record, and will be published this month by The Baker Taylor Co. A special feature of the book will be the illustrations and plans, which are all drawn to the exact scale, and are all practical. The book will contain over 100 illustrations and plans, and prospective home builders will find it a volume designed for practical use, and of great value.

The numerous friends of Major General Otis Howard will be pleased to learn of his promotion to the rank of Lieutenant General, on the retired list, by a special act of congress.

Apologies of this it is agreeable to learn that his publishers are about to undertake another printing of his important autobiography, published by The Baker & Taylor Co. during the fall of 1907. The book, in a review, speaks of this work as the most interesting and personal of biographies.

CENSUS RECEIVED.

Muskogee, Okla., Feb. 21.—State Superintendent Cameron today telephoned the school authorities of Muskogee county that the belated census of the county superintendent had been received, and though it was not on schedule time, the \$10,000 due the school children of the county would be included in the appropriation of state money.

INTO LARGER BUILDING

Muskogee, Okla., Feb. 21.—The post-office department at Washington today notified the Muskogee postmaster that the postoffice here would be moved to a larger building. This is the third time within two years that the postoffice has had to be moved to secure larger quarters.

GARFIELD DISPROVES

Special to Daily Leader.

Muskogee, Okla., Feb. 21.—Information was received by the Crooks here today that Secretary Garfield would not approve the plan of the Crooks delegation in Washington to distribute all the Crooks money in a per capita payment instead of using it to equalize allotments. The secretary is now working on a plan to equalize the allotments with cash.

FAIRNESS IMPRESSES MAGNATES

RAILROAD CHIEFS DE- CLARE OKLAHOMA NOT HOSTILE

STATE DISPOSED TO ACT WITH REASON

Bound to Enact Legislation to Control Matters Here- tofore Neglected

The St. Louis Globe Democrat says: Chairman Youakim of the Rock Island Frisco Executive committee, President Winchell of the Rock Island, Vice President M. J. of the Rock Island and Passenger Traffic Manager Sebastian arrived here yesterday morning by special train over the Frisco from Texas. Mr. Youakim left at once for New York over the Van der Bilt and the Rock Island officials returned to Chicago by the noon train of the Alton.

Vice President and General Manager Nelson of the Frisco, who attended the recent hearings in Oklahoma, said:

"I do not think there is any good cause for the published reports to the effect that the legislative bodies or the corporation commission of Oklahoma are disposed to be unreasonable with the railroad or other corporations in Oklahoma. I was impressed with the desire shown for information on matters pertaining to corporations which might be affected by bills introduced for consideration of the legislature, and while I think that action in a few cases has been hasty, I believe they are disposed to be more deliberate now than when the legislature first convened. From questions asked by members of the commission in public hearing, it seems evident that they are desiring that independent action on their part would damage their state."

"It must be conceded that as Oklahoma as a territory has not legislated on many matters that should be legislated upon they are bound to pass bills and enact in the laws many measures to control matters that have not been under control in that state, and as long as they carry out their present plan of giving public hearings to all parties interested in proposed bills, they will, if given proper information by parties affected, in my opinion, not pass or make laws which are improper."

"The representatives and senators compare favorably, I think, with the same officers of any other state in the Union, and while their constitution gives them more authority than is usual with other states, my observation leads me to state that I do not believe they are going to misuse their power. At the same time, I think they are going to attempt a great deal of regulating, but I do not believe they will carry this to an extent where their regulation will do damage. Many bills have been introduced, and if passed the way they were first introduced would certainly be wrong, but there is no evidence that any larger proportion of these bills will be passed in Oklahoma than are passed in other states, and I believe not as many will be."

"The legislation worked upon is not confined to corporations, but covers, in proper proportions, other matters. With the vast amount of business before them and the limit of time in which to transact this business, it will not be surprising if they make some mistakes, but I do not believe that there should be any apprehension whatever as to their dealing as fairly with the corporations as other states deal with them."

"The corporation commission has given the opportunity for all interested parties to be heard, and I think they appreciate the fact that the recent decrease in the volume of business is certain to continue. This makes it clear that caution is necessary, and I think they will carefully investigate all cases brought before them and will not do anything that would cripple the railroads or serious."

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by disturb present conditions. They know fully well that orders enforcing earnings would result in a diminution of labor or reduction of wages, and that would affect general business."

Artesian Wells.

The theoretical explanation of the phenomenon is easily understood. The secondary and tertiary geological formations often present the appearance of immense basins, the boundary or rim of the basin having been formed by an upheaval of adjacent strata. In these formations it often happens that a porous stratum, consisting of sand, sandstone, chalk or other porous matter, is included between two impervious layers of clay so as to form a flat porous "T" tube, continuous from side to side of the valley, the outcrop on the surrounding hills forming the mouth of the tube. The rain filtering down through the porous layer to the bottom of the basin forms there a subterranean pool, which, with the liquid or semiliquid column pressing upon it, constitutes a sort of huge natural hydrostatic bellows. Sometimes the pressure on the superincumbent crust is so great as to cause an upheaval or disturbance of the valley. It is obvious, then, that when a hole is bored down through the upper impervious layer to the surface of the like the water will be forced up by the natural law of water seeking its level to a height above the surface of the valley, greater or less, according to the elevation of the level in the feeding column, thus forming a natural fountain on precisely the same principle as that of most artificial fountains, where the water supply comes from a considerable height above the jet.

A Perfumed Caravan.

Everybody knows how subtle, penetrating and permanent is the rich perfume of attar of roses. The larger part of the world's supply of this delicious scent is made in Persia, where there are many hundreds of acres devoted to the cultivation of roses for this purpose. At certain seasons of the year long caravans of donkeys, laden with attar, and under guard of soldiers to protect the rich booty from attacks by robbers, journey from central Persia to the little port of Bushire, whence it is exported to Bombay. Other donkeys, similarly equipped, proceed to the Persian coast, which, after Hindustan, are the largest consumers of the costly luxury. When the wind is in the right direction the approach of one of these caravans is announced by the scent long before it can be seen, and the hue of its progress can be traced by the odor for days after it has passed by.

Words You Write, But Never Say.

There are words you never say, but often write, says the London Chronicle. And the contrast between French and English struck this writer when listening to a French "laboring man" who made a speech in literary French for the public speaker in France has no difficulties in the matter of words, even though he evince his southern origin in slight differences of pronunciation. The language of the platform and of the press is one, but not, alas, in England. One could make quite a long list of words that are common enough in print, but fairly beat the man who thinks he is going to say them on a platform. For example, "unwielded" is a common word in print, but the man who looks to direct speech would bludge at it. In fact, no one even speaks the word. And, though Broderickian is familiar enough in black and white, has even Lord Rosebery ventured on its vocal production? We don't say these things, as the lady said.

Insect Hypnotism.

"Did you ever know," said the hypnotist as he played with a curious, glittering hypnotizing machine of crystal and silver, "did you ever know that hypnotism is practiced among insects?"

"No."

"Well, it is a fact. A queen bee can hypnotize her whole hive whenever she wants to. She makes a curious humming sound, and within a moment or two every bee in the colony falls into a hypnotic trance."

"The death's head hawk moth is also a hypnotist of great power. This creature, indeed, makes its living out of hypnotism. Entering a hive, it makes a sound not unlike the queen bee's note, and the bees immediately sink into slumber, the moth proceeds to plunder at its leisure."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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DEMOCRATS JOURNEY TO MUSKOGEE

SPECIAL TRAIN FOR CON- VENTION DELEGATES AND FRIENDS

"NO SEAT NO FARE" ORDER IS INVOKED

Railroad Accommodations Insufficient and Many Obliged to Stand

It was after ten o'clock when the special train bearing members of the legislature, state officials and delegates from the western part of the state, numbering fully 500, pulled out of the union station over the "Katy" bound for Muskogee to attend the first democratic state convention which will be held there tomorrow. The train was scheduled to leave at 8:30 o'clock and when that hour arrived there were over 500 democrats on the platform ready to board the special which consisted of but two chair cars, which could accommodate not more than 150 passengers. After an hour and a half deliberation around the "Katy" for Muskogee, arriving there early this morning.

The special train bearing the legislature and state officials will return to Guthrie Sunday morning, leaving Muskogee after midnight.

The Logan county delegation to the state convention is composed of the following: L. C. Wilk, James Lovell, R. J. Tucker, Geo. Seybert, J. W. Duke, E. Adair, Leo Gorch, W. D. Williamson, J. D. Burke, Joe Wilkey, M. E. Trapp, M. Collier, J. L. Calvert, D. D. Dyche, W. H. Brown, Dick Smith, J. G. Lewis, L. V. Ford, John Buehns, Nels Good, W. H. Mathews, L. H. Stafford.

Alternates: H. E. Dwyer, Sam Gray, E. A. Pollett, G. W. Wells, A. R. Powell, C. D. Millard, W. H. Gray, Geo. Clayton, W. J. Leatherman, J. J. Haisler, P. Spaulding, R. A. Myers, J. J. O'Rourke, Sam Ogilman, Fred Rich, J. O'Neil, E. Newman, Arvin Connel, G. Dunlap, C. N. Jefferson, D. McConterry, Chas. Lutz.

DeWitt's Carbonized Witch Hazel is especially good for piles. Sold by C. R. Renfro.

Lord Brampton's Innocent Ways.

Lord Brampton, Sir Henry Hawkins, was a picturesque figure who for years gave variety and spice to the dull routine of the English courts. Some of his lordship's ways were unpleasant. When Lord Brampton wanted to get a case finished no one could more quickly grasp the intricacies than he. When, however, he meant a case to last then he was the high priest of innocence. There was not a game or trick at cards with which he was not familiar, yet when the counsel mentioned the ace of spades, "Ace of spades? What is an ace of spades?" cooed his lordship. "It—er—it's one of a pack of cards, of—er—playing cards, 'mum," gasped counsel, taken aback. "Really, then I must ask you to put it," said Hawkins. A solicitor's clerk was sent flying to a stationer's to get a pack of cards. Upon his return the ace was extracted and counsel handed it up. "Mind, this piece of card is one of fifty-two such cards which are called playing cards," said counsel. "The card which I now venture to ask your lordship to examine is called the ace of spades," Hawkins took the card, examined it curiously, marked it, placed it with his notes. "Thank you, proceed, please," he said. With legal expenses averaging \$5 a minute this little play would cost a fifty dollar bill.

Saw His Own Finish.

Some time ago the wife of Judge Blank lost her cook, and since she had no other resource, she rolled up her sleeves and for a week provided such meals as the judge and did not enjoy these three happy days when the judge's deli was kept a cook. The judge's deli was so great that by way of appreciative acknowledgment he presented Mrs. Blank with a beautiful emerald clock. Quite naturally the incident was a good deal noted about among the social acquaintances of the Blank and a spirit of envy and emulation was developed in certain quarters. It was in this mood that Mrs. Jerome reached the store to her husband.

"What do I get, Jerry," she asked, "if I will do the cooking for a week?"

"Well," said Mr. Jerome, "at the end of a week, my dear, you'll get one of those long crane veils."—Argosy.

DRIVER ANTS.

The Way These Ferocious Little Insects Defy the Freshets.

There are certain ants that show wonderful intelligence, and the "driver ants" are not only bold, but launch them too. Only these ants are formed of their own bodies.

They are called "drivers" because of their ferocity. Nothing can stand before the attacks of these little creatures. Large pythons have been killed by them in a single night, while chickens, hounds and other animals in western Africa flee from them in terror. To protect themselves from the heat they erect arches, under which numerous arid of them pass in safety.

Sometimes the arch is made of grass and earth and is guarded together by some secretion, and again it is formed by the bodies of the larger ants, which hold themselves together by their strong nippers while the workers pass under them.

At certain times of the year freshets overflow the country inhabited by the "drivers," and it is then that these ants go to sea. The rain comes suddenly, and the walls of their houses are broken in by the flood, but, instead of coming to the surface in scattered hordes and being swept off to destruction, out of the ruins rises a column that rides safely on the water and drifts away.

At the first warning of danger the little creatures run together and form a solid body of ants, the weaker in the center. Often this ball is larger than a common cricket ball, and in this way they float about until their lodge against some tree, upon the branches of which they are soon safe and sound.

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OFFICERS AND SADDLES.

Jefferson Davis and a Joke He Did Not Appreciate.

When Jefferson Davis was secretary of war he selected all his generals to learn to ride correctly. No finer horseman than Jefferson Davis ever lived. He won the love and hand of Zach Taylor's daughter by his distinguished presence in the saddle, as well as by his intrepidity at the cannon's mouth. When secretary of war he noticed that only a few officers in the service were capable horsemen and issued an order something like this:

"A liberal reward will be paid to any officer or private in the army who will offer a satisfactory device for keeping our soldiers from falling out of their saddles. Communications to the secretary of war will be regarded as confidential."

Captain George Horatio Derby, one of the leading army engineers of his day, used to write humorous and witty stories over the pen name of John Phoenix. He received a copy of Secretary Davis' order while improving the harbor of San Diego, Cal., and immediately forwarded the most intricate and accurate designs of his plan for keeping officers and men in the saddle. To the seat of each officer's "pants" he attached a bull